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SUBJECT: JAPAN'S NEW CABINET

1. NEW CABINET, ANNOUNCED BY NEW CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY ABE AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 28, AS FOLLOWS:

PRIME MINISTER: TAKEO FUKUDA (72)

JUSTICE MINISTER: MITSUO SETOYAMA (73), FUKUDA

FACTION (RETAINED)

FOREIGN MINISTER: SUNAO SONODA (63), FUKUDA

FACTION

FINANCE MINISTER: TATSUO MURAYAMA (62), OHIRA FACTION

EDUCATION MINISTER: SHIGETAME SUNADA (60), NAKASONE FACTION HEALTH AND WELFARE MINISTER: TATSUO OZAWA (60), TANAKA FACTION

AGRICULTURE-FORESTRY MINISTER: ICHIRO NAKAGAWA (52),

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY MINISTER: TOSHIO

KOMOTO (66), MIKI FACTION

TRANSPORT MINISTER: KENJI FUKUNAGA (67), OHIRA FACTION

POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS MINISTER: YASUSHI

HATTORI (62), OHIRA FACTION

LABOR MINISTER: KATSUSHI FUJII (62), MIKI FACTION

CONSTRUCTION MINISTER (AND DIRGEN NATIONAL LAND AGENCY):

YOSHIO SAKURAUCHI (65), NAKASONE FACTION

HOME AFFAIRS MINISTER (AND DIRGEN, HOKKAIDO DEVELOPMENT AGENCY &

CHRM., NAT'L. PUBLIC SAFETY): COMMISSION: TAKENORI KATO (62),

FUKUDA FACTION (UPPER HOUSE MEMBER)

STATE MINISTER -- CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY: SHINTARO

ABE (53), FUKUDA FACTION

STATE MINISTER -- DIRGEN, PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE AND

OKINAWA DEVELOPMENT AGENCY: SAKONSHIRO INAMURA

(60), MIZUTA FACTION

STATE MINISTER -- DIRGEN, ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGEMENT

AGENCY: SEIJURO ARAFUNE (70), SHIINA FACTION

STATE MINISTER -- DIRGEN, DEFENSE AGENCY: SHIN

KANEMARU (62), TANAKA FACTION

STATE MINISTER -- DIRGEN, ECONOMIC PLANNING AGENCY:

KIICHI MIYAZAWA (57), OHIRA FACTION

STATE MINISTER -- DIRGEN, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

AGENCY AND ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION: TASABURO

KUMAGAI (70), FUKUDA FACTION (UPPER HOUSE MEMBER)

STATE MINISTER -- DIRGEN, ENVIRONMENT AGENCY:

HISANARI YAMADA (70), TANAKA FACTION

STATE MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO (IN CHARGE OF EXTERNAL

ECONOMIC AFFAIRS): NOBUHIKO USHIBA (68),

ROVING AMBASSADOR

DIRECTOR, CABINET LEGISLATION BUREAU: HIDEO SANADA (58).

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